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#### **DUPONT ROAD MODERN**

#### Giver of Great Highway Tells of Benefits to the State

In deciding to give Delaware a 110 mile duPont recognized that such a road would be of some benefit to every inhabitant of the state. A hospital, college and manujected in favor of the road, and so General duPont proposed to present to his home state the most finished road ever conproviso, and that decidedly essential, for it related to the guarantee of state main tenance forever

While in New York city recently General duPont visited National headquarters of the American Automobile Association members of the Delaware Automobile Association, which a part of the National or ganization, and a great believer in organized effort to secure the things that are worth while. Commencing upon the project which now absorbs the greater part of his attention, the General said:

I want to build a road that will be lasting one, and I am gradually collecting all engineering data obtainable in addition to engaging roads engineers of experience who understand thoroughly the conditi-ous to be met with in this day of multiplied and varied traffic. Of course, this road will show to the people of Delaware the difference between a two horse load over a bad road and a one horse load over a good road. We have had inferior roads for a long enough period. I sincerely hope the people of Delaware will see the advantage when the road becomes an

Every twenty miles I have in mind the establishment of agriculture experimental tations for the benefit of the farmer and development of the state, in charge of the graduates from the agricultural colleges in the country. They will show the farmers of Delaware, and those of any other state, how two blades of grass will grow where they had grown one before. Of course, there will be other representative adjunts of farm life, live stock of the best breeds, for it is my belief that only healthy and the best cattle should serve the

needs of the human race. As to the road itself, my ideas involve combination which would ultimately provide for both motor-driven vehicles and horse-drawn carriages and wagons. A 40-foot road should take care of the motor vehicles, and also permit of reasonable peed for ordinary vehicle traffic. A 30oot pathway will give ample space for porse-drawn vehicles. I believe the value of this road when finished will be to show the people of the United States by a practical example, how any section can build a road that will pay for its maintenance, will ultimately pay for itself, and pay hose who contributed the land a handome dividend on the original ground or be needed temporarily, but in a growing ection for only a very short time.

Trees will line the railways, arranged in such manner as to afford the greatest protection, for General duPont considers that much of the success of upkeeping European roads is due to the care of the trees along the roadside. This road will also have stations for the landing of airships, after the latest known methods adopted by the Belgians. General du-Pont believes that the day of Federal aid is comperatively near at hand. Futhermen who desire to benefit their states and communities in a lasting manner, will Wilmington, the Levy Court will resort to follow his example in supplying high- condemnation proceedings. ways rather than contributing libraries or nts, which, while good enough in their way, fall far short of the general value of a first class road.

Jury Calls on Druggists Dover's druggists, Clarke & McDaniel, Frank Starling, Levi Scott and Harry Wale, Monday afternoon were served with summones to appear before the Attorney ed since April 1 which contained whiskey gin or any mixture or compound containing either. This action is due to numeron violations of the law passed by the last Legislature regulating the sale of intoxiating liquors by druggists, and it is said that several physicians also will be sumat the present session.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS -OF-

# APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Appoquini mink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1911 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be AT THE OFFICE OF GEORGE M. D. HART, 65c

EVERY SATURDAY. During OCTOBER 1911, From 1 to 5 o'clock, P. M.

Tax bills can be obtained by making ersonal application to the Collector, or by sending written communication en-

AMENDED:
Section 3—That on all taxes paid before
the first day of October there shall be an
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taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

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JURY FOR NOVEMBER GOURT

Jury Commissioners W. Scott Town-

eral Sessions Court on Tuesday, Novem

First District-William A. Jennings,

James W. King, Andrew Elliott, William

Fourth-Daniel T.Killroy, William S.

Jourdan, J. Edward Reynolds, Thomas

O'Donnell, Fifth—Clarence W. Robinson, Jasper W.

Green, James B. Oberley, John W. Fell. Seventh-William J. Hunter, Aquilla D. Jackson. Sixth-David A. Grier, Harry I. Kel-

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After an absence of 52 years, Samuel | Martindale is a guest of Cecil county relatives.

Castle, is a canditate for reappointment and other candidates are Harry W. Husbe-

After extensive repairs the Port Depos it Methodist Church was reopened yeste

Members of the Chesapeake (1ty Methodist Church have begun to raise funds for ton boy, finally told the police he got it in

One of the largest caravans of gypsie near Church Hill.

Dr. G. Burton Pearson, of Wilmington

was slightly injured when an automobile he was driving crashed into a trolley car. A colt with five legs was born Monday on the Roy Reynolds premises New Bridge. The appendages between the

For whipping his wife, Charles H. Crew, of Kennedyville, has been sentenced to 20 lashes and 12 months in the house of Cor-

front feet.

The Philadelphia, Baltimore & Wash ington Railroad Company is laying a fourth track between Bacon Hill and

Mrs. Emma Caulk, of Dover, has succeeded Mrs. Kate E. Smithers, as president of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The Cecil county School Board has off ered a reward of \$25 for the arrest and conviction of any person damaging school property on Hallowe'en.

More than 200 Sunday school workers took part in the annual convention of the New Castle Hundred Sunday School Astion at New Castle Sunday.

Kurt Dederick's herd of cattle lying peacefully between the tracks stopped reight train on the Port Deposit Road the other night near Conowingo. The term of United States District At-

orney John P. Nields, of Wilmington.

wi'l expire on December 18, and his friends believe he will be reappointed. The Federal Grand Jury has returned two indictments against John Wesley Glasgow, arrested in Wilmington on char

ges of sending improper matter through

Delmar has a new paper. It is called The Herald, and is edited by G. T. Jones. nvestment. County or state credit might It made its first appearance on Saturday, September 30th. This makes two papers published at Delmar.

> John Holdsworth, aged about 70 years, hanged himself in his unpretentious home No. 101 Liberty street, Wilmington Saturday, after a hard battle with the world in latter years, in which he failed, ickness and adversity having overtaken

Having failed to agree with the

Pennsylvania Railroad on the price of

land required for an approach to a new bridge across the Christiana River in It is said that nearly two hundred people of Bridgeville will put in gas in

their homes and business places. The South Delaware Gas Co. has completed their pipe line to that town and next week the gas will be turned on. Miss Elizabeth Graham, who accident-

ally imprisoned herself in a bed last Monsummones to appear before the Attorney day night at Kenton remaining will be a second for the Grand Jury and to produce all their prescriptions filling and to produce all their prescriptions filling and page meaning brought on by her extraordinary experience.

While chickens may sell at twenty-odd ents a pourd, the governmentifinds after exhaustive investigation, that it costs just 9.09 cents to put a pound of flesh upon and before they conclude their work the resent session.

5.00 cents to put a pound of the includes the costs of feed and labor, the costs of the eed alone being 8.10 cents.

Robert H. Richards, counsel for General T. Coleman duPont Monday filed a certificate of incorporation for the du-Pont Boulevard at the State Department in Dover. The company is known as the Coleman puPout Road. Incorporated and the capital is placed at \$200,000.

Delayed by a bursting tire in its 18 mile journey the funeral of Joseph H. Frazier who died in Peru, South America, was held at West Nottingham Presby-terian Church after the body and funeral party had been brought by automobile rom his father's home in Newark.

While gunning near his home at Newark, Earle Robinson, 14 years old, had one finger and the thumb on his left hand EXTRAOT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED:

One inger and the thumb on his left hand shot off by the accidental discharge of his gun. Earle was returning home at the time of the accident. Part of his hand was over the muzzle of the gun when it was over the muzzle of the gun was over the muzzle of the gun when it was over the muzzle of the gun when it was over the muzzle of the gun when it was over the was over the muzzle of the gun when it exploded. Dr. Walter Steele dressed the Md., business manager for duPont's road-

As a result of a stabbing Saturday even-

of Harrington, is at the point of death, with 37 cuts and other wounds in his

#### The Agricultural students of Delaware

Geerge W. Vantine, postmaster at New Show. This will be the sixth exhibition of its kind held in the United States, and beck, John G. King, a former postmaster Ordered locked up until he would tell Ordered locked up until he would tell be several free instructive lectures and where he secured the liquor that made have described by the several free instructive lectures and where he secured the liquor that made have described by the several free instructive lectures and where and where a wilming to replace the wind replace him drunk, Joseph Donohue, a Wilmingfrom the instructional part, free entera saloon and Frank Gollub, the alleged The New Castle County Levy Court has represented, will give an elaborate banallowed the St. Georges Marsh Company

quet sometime during the show. \$1000 which is used to keep in repair the A grand prize of \$400 and several minor opinion. banks along the marshes from Delaware prizes will be offered by the pure breed City to Port Penn thereby saving the associations to the students who show the ported the following balances for the greatest efficiency. Agricultural schools all month of September: over the United States will bear the ex- Credit Levy Court .. Leonard Crawford, chief warden at penses of their chosen representative the New Castle County Workhouse, is the New Castle County Workhouse, is spending several days in Omaha, Nebraka had at least twelve weeks training along Miscellaneous road appropriaattending the annual convention of the agricultural lines will be allowed to comprison officials from all sections of the plete. Professor Hayward is putting all Christiana hundred. derived from these conventions and they are always productive of new and excelteam will be picked by Saturday when it will go to New Castle and later to Philadelphia to do more preliminary judging. Members of the State Board of Agricul-Several of the contesting students have ture Monday morning supervised the shown much aptness for the work and it measuring of a prize acre of corn on the is thought that the team will stand a good Blackbird .... farm of Arnold Naudain near Marshall-

#### FLOATING OIL FACTORY

husked, measured and weighed. The A large steamer which has been trans state offers prizes of \$60, \$30 and \$20 for formed into a floating factory for the con ersion of fish into oil, oas arrived at the Delaware Breakwater, cruising southward There is said to be no other vessel afloat like it. The Mills, formerly one of the fleet of steamers which plied between Philadelphia and Colon, and prior to that time a Government hydraulic dredge, was purchased by the American Fisheries man is justified in selling a good pullet, Company, of Philadelphia, and fitted up

Soon after the mills anchored off the Delaware Breakwater four fishing steamer greatest financial factors in the country today, and she is also one of the most awash with cargoes of menhaden arrived alongside and began discharging thousands of barrels of menhaden into the big ship, Bacteria does not thrive in the cold but and the process of first reducing them to be beat only. If you keep your milk becrap followed in regular order. For her factory plant the Mills carries immens

To secure the best results the speed of the separator must be uniform and up, to the standard required for the make of the proceed up the Delaware to Philadelphia to land her cargo of oil, after which she will proceed southward as far as the Flori-

#### where tile was laid and see how it com-Contested Farm Title Confirmed

Chief Judge James A. Pearce at Chesertown, Md., last Friday in the snit o ndrew W. Woodal vs. James E. Woodal send and John Nivin Monday drew the following jury to report for duty in Gento determine the title to the "Tolchester Farm," valued at \$30,000, decided in fav or of the defendant. The farm was giver to James E. Woodal by his father, the late Capt. Andrew W. Woodal, five years before his death, but the deed was not re corded until shortly before his death oc

H. Meeks.

Second—Irvin Van Aredalen, William
A. Mode Harold S. Kirby, James H.

Hanns.

Third—John J. Donovan, John C.

Boyer, Stephen E. Pardee, J. Frank

Ayres.

## Stole Money From Boy

Returning from the bank in Newark last Friday, after cashing a check for the unique proposition was heard by \$30.50, for Peter Cella, a fruit dealer of that town, James Money, a 12 year old the pastor, welcomed the visitors. Rev. colored boy, met a young white man employed by Clarence Livingston, of Baltimore, who had a contract for painting in the town. The man snatched the money County Association president, presided Wilson.
Ninth—Gregory Lynam, Rodman
Lovett.

Ninth—Gregory Lynam, Rodman P. B. & W. R. R. station, disappearing ris.
Eleventh—George Buckworth, Isaac R
Johnson.
Twelftk—John R. Swan, F. Lee Reynolds.
Fhirteenth—James B. Moore, Eugene
Thirteenth—James B

#### Trespass Notices

Deakyne. Fifteenth-John David, William J. DOVER, Del., Oct. 17 .- T. Coleman du-Pont today deposited with the Secretary which he and his associates filed a certi-

icate of incorporation yesterday. The charter provides for the constru tion of a boulevard 100 miles long at or near Wilmington to Selbyville, and with width of from 120 to 200 feet, and privilege is given for the construction and operation of a railway or railways be electricity, cable or motors, for passenger or freight, and also to lay pipes and con-duits and wires underground and erect

The incorporators named are Thomas Coleman duPont, L. L. Dunham, his secretary; Paul E. Wilson, of Wilmingbuilding forces.

#### Eighty-one Certificates

ing Benjamin A, W. Emery, town baliff, According to an exchange, the State of Delaware issued certificates of incorporaback, one cut penetrating through one tions and industrial concerns during lung. Emery's son, Herman Emery also September, making one of the best records was cut, and Earl Legotes and Willard Legates were arrested and taken to Dover capital stock ranged from \$2,000 to \$5,000 by Constable Simpson. The fracas started 000, and the incorporators interested re-over a bottle of whisky which a colored side in more than three-fourths of the man had at the merry go round in Har- States of the Union, and some in sur rounding republics and dominions.

#### **OUR AGRICULTURAL STUDENTS**

College are showing much interest in the special attractions will be offered. One thousand of the best pure bred cattle and the most up to date creamery and dairy sembly of the state of Delaware, is exmachinery will be exhibited. There will pected to build a bridge to replace the tainments will be given by the world's the present bridge under an old contract greatest, songstress and the Grand Opera and the Levy Court would like to know Quartette Band. Also, each of the pure | what authority the said company would breed associations, whose stock will be have as to crossing the new bridge; be it

chance of winning the championship cup.

for its present use.

screw pressee, steam cooking vate and Some good poultry men think by item ing setting hens in the morning they are more apt to remain contentedly on their of the fishing steamers. There are tanks on board that will hold 750,000 gallons of

da Straits in search of the migratory men

As the season for shooting rabbits and partridges draws near, farmers are pre-paring to post their lands with "Notice to winds and fresh water currents, has ele-Gunners." The farmer does this to keep off his property gunners who are reckless it can be said: "The market is always Pont today deposited with the Secretary of State \$50,000 sh a guarantee that he will faithfully carry out his agreement to build the projected State Boulevard, for which he and his associates filed a certi-saie at The MIDDLETOWNTEANSCRIPT office.

#### BRIDGE APPROACHES

At a meeting of the Levy Court Tuesday the matter of condeming land that will b udent Cattle Judging Contest to be held used for the approach to the new Third at Chicago October 26th—November 4th in connection with the National Dairy torney who will give a written opinion. The resolution ordering the same was as follows:

Whereas, The Levy Court of New Castle county, by authority of the General As-

delphia Traction Company's tracks cross Resolved, That the matter be referred

to the attorney for the court for his written County Treasurer Robert M. Burns re-

Special bond issue No. 2.....

tion... 8,751.95 2,355,20 3.711.09 Red Lion. St. Georges. 3.251.62 1,956,41 The collections were:

#### Clerk of the Peace, \$253. Sheriff, \$90.74. Register of Wills, \$565.50 Recorder of Deeds, \$1,639.40. Prothonotary, \$735.86. Register in Chancery, \$231.45. The county officers get 10 per cent, of

ese amounts returned to them.

**COURT HOUSE PLANS** Tuesday afternoon the members of the Levy Court visited the officers of the E. L. Rice, Jr., Company and viewed the plans for the proposed addition and im provements to the county Court House, The courtmen were well satisfied with what they saw, although they took no action at the meeting later in the afternoon, when they met and adjourned

until next Tuesday. The plans provide for the erection of will add 13 feet to the height of the present structure. The same kind of stone can be used.

terior will be so arranged that there will be more space for the offices. It is proposed to remove the offices of the prothonotary, register of wills and clerk of the Orphans' Court from the first floor. The offices of the sheriff will be

enlarged by the tearing away of a parti-

Should the plans be accepted the in-

On the second floor the office of the chancellor and the law library will remain as they are now. third floor, as the jury and court officials. The fourth floor will be equipped in such a manner that in case a jury is re-

will have accommodations.

quired to remain over night the members

Urges Compulsory Religion WILMINGTON, DEL., Oct. 17.—Compulsory religious education was advocated before the New Castle County Sabbath in Bethany Baptists Church to-day by Rev. Alexander Alison, Jr. "What the Sunday school could do would stagger the

imagination," he said. The unique proposition was heard by Anti-Saloon League work, spoke on temand spoke.

## Delaware Ovster Preferred

A good oyster is always in demand. Now the Delaware ovster takes precedence over the famous Jersey bivale, and are in greater demand, even including the famous Maurice river covers, just across the bag. The splendid condition of the oy-

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#### WOMAN SUFFRAGE

"Every crook in California is against woman suffrage," declared JudgeCyrus McNutt at a recent meeting in Los Angeles. "I do not mean only those crooks who are in jail either. The keeper of every evil den and gambling house in the country will vote against the enfranchisement of women."-Exchange

The great state of California joins the half dozen other American Commonwealths in granting suffrage to women. This, the greatest/social and political reform of the century, will become an accomplished fact, the moment women themselves generally awake to their duty and privilege therein and demand the right to

There are a score of reason why women should thus use their civic rights and not one why they should not.

The exercise by women of the ballot will neither bring the millenium nor yet prove a social catastrophe, as some of its heated advocates on the one hand and opponents on the other, assert. But that it will purify and uplift politics and exert a wholesome influence through every department of the public service, especially in state and municipal affairs, where it is most needed, there can be no doubt whatever.

And this, because God made woman ethically and morally man's superior. Common observation shows this: she fills the churches, he fills the jails-the only place, in fact, where there are more men than women in a prayer-meeting, is the peniten-

So, woman armed with the ballot and persuaded: as she soon will be, of her duty to use it for the public good, will introduce a new and blessed element into debased politics.

This the politicians know full well. Hence the spectacle in the late contest in California, of the whole criminal power of its big capitals, San Francisco, Los Angeles, etc., turning out en masse to defeat her franchise R. H. Price near town. right-all the gamblers, thieves, pot-house politicians and low saloon and dive keepers, the whole unspeakable underworld of sin-in one word, all the cohorts of the devil-colleagued against giving the ballot to

And it has been so in every great city wherever this contest has been waged. Why? Because the whole evil crew know that every instinct of her nature, as daughter, wife and mother, will · be fiercely stirred against all William James Heaps, of Baltimore, State their vile traffic-that at last white slavery, rum-selling, childhood slavery, and the criminal in the Hall. Everybody is cordielly control of states and cities, will have an end.

woman.

We close as we began; were all other arguments wanting, the facts in the clipping that prefaces this editorial, would in themselves dispose of this issue wheather or not women should

#### **BLIND PIGS AND BOOTLEGGERS**

Why cannot the town and county authorities take effective steps to rid Middletown of the illicit rum selling that is being done both here and in Hamtown, the colored outside suburb?

It is claimed that agents of a notorious colored man have long been doing a big business in that line here in Middletown.

One of his lieutenants, "Peglegged Tom" has been sent to the work-house, though the disreputable boss himself has always managed to wriggle out of the ton, Md.

Large quantities of liquor in barrels have been seen unloading Snyder, near town. after midnight from a wagon in Hamtown, and it is said that in a number of places, both here in Middletown and there, the liquor is being disposed of by colored

This traffic in cheap, poisoned This traffic in cheap, poisoned Rev. W. H. Kenney bave been attending liquor is fearfully demoralizing to Epworth League Convention at Greensour young colored men; injures the farmers in their work and is in every way a curse to the whole community. The hazards of this illegal liquor business requires the precurrent was a sunday. the unscrupulous vendors, to adulterate their vile stuff, and thus doubly rob their foolish pa-

trons in purse and health too. One would think that the dealers who pay big sums for the privately of selling liquor, would find it to their interests themselves to suppress it privately. But they do not and it goes on— One would think that the deal-

Law and Order League?" What are they doing to check this great evil, in full swing right here in our midst?

THE TRANSCRIPT ventures the guess that a moderate sum of money spent in private detective work, can clean out this whole wretched traffic, root and branch and thus accomplish a great good to the colored youth and the town itself. Why not wake up, gentlemen of the League, and do\_it?

Mrs. George Shelton spent part of last week as the guest of Wilmington relatives. Harry Eaton has returned after a weeks visit with friends pear Chester, Pa. Misses Lizzie and Ruth Shelton ar

Wilmington. Thomas Eaton visited his daughte Mrs. Albert Naylor, in Camden, N. J.

over Sunday Robert S. Carpenter spent Sunday with County Engineer James Wilson at Green

ville.
Charles and George Collar, of Philadel phia, visited Port Penn friends on Sun

Chris Bendler in Delaware City two days of last week. Miss Mary R. Carpenter has returned after an extended visit with her brother

William Carpenter at Newark. Mrs. Chris Bendler, of Delaware City is spending a few days of this week as the

guest of A. Bendler and wife. The school is being fumigated this weel on Monday, it having been closed for two

weeks on account of scarlet fever. Parties from the village go in the woods every day to gather chestnute which seems so plentiful this year, one man having found 16 quarts in one half day.

No services were held in the M. E Church on Sunday, the pastor, Rev Smith, of Wilmington, being unable to

#### WARWICK

Mrs. Benjimin Hall is visiting Mrs.

Judge R. B. Merritt is spending this week in Baltimore Mr. and Mis Elwood Brown spent Sun

We are glad to report that Miss Bertl

Lynch is improving rapidly. Messrs. Walter Aiken and George Staats spent Tuesday in Elkton.

Mr. R. B. Merritt Jr. is improving his property by putting in cement walks. Mesers. T. Bayard and J. H. Vinyard were Wilmington visitors on Saturday. Miss Blance Wright spent the latter part of last week with Cecilton friends. Mrs. John Ernest and Mrs. Rachie Sassafras, spent Thesday with Mrs. J

Preaching Sunday morning at usua 'clock. Rev. G. J. Hill, pastor.

Miss Lida Davis has returned hom after quite a lengthy visit with Kennedyville, Md. and Middletown frie. ds. Miss A. R. Piser, of Washington spen

several days last week at the home of her nother, Mrs. Arabella Piser, of near

Miss Lena King, who has been i Philadelphia for the pass two weeks having her eyes treated, is resported to be getting along nicely. A lecture will be given in the Church

on Saturday Evening, October 21st. Secretary, of the P. O. S. of A. Ludge will be the epeaker for the evening. After the speaking a feetival will be held

#### **CECILTON**

Mr. Albert Johnson, of Chesapeak Dr. R. M. Black is having a ce

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Mr. A. J. Watts spent part of this week rith Mr. Peirce in Philadelphia. Mr. H. H. Mackey, of Providence, vis

Mr. F. E. Hoover spent Sunday an Monday in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Albert Watts and son, Edgar, sp sunday with her parents in Townsend. Miss W. Aiken on the Manor was the guest of Miss Mable Coppage on Monday. Mrs. Julia Hoover is the gnest of her

adelphia. were Baltimore visitors on Monday and

daughter, Mrs. M. L. Davis in West Phil-

Miss Janie Smith is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Atwell, of near War-

spending this week with Mr. R. A. The Rally Day at Zion M. E. Sunday

School will be held here on Sunday. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. W. H. Kenney who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. Evans at Selbyville, has returned home.

Miss Marion Griffith, Elma Taylor, and

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith and daughte May, and Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith and

#### Keifer Pear Crop

Abundance of keiffer pears have been

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Bargains. This week we have a lot of Samples in Ladies'

Stock Collars, of different

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2 for 25c

During this sale

#### Middletown Upera Touse

H. S. Newman's Famous Motion Pictures PROGRAM FOR Saturday Evening, October 21st, 1911

#### "THE PRIESTESS OF CARTHAGE"

"THE PRIESTESS OF CARTHAGE"—(By Gaumont) This is a very beautiful ALL COLOR picture by one of the leading French manufacturers. Pictures of this grade are always features, and very hard to obtain.

#### "WATER LILIES"

"WATER LILIES"—(By Vitagraph Co.) This is an idye of unself-love. I had to exhibit this picture two nights at Rehoboth Beach this mer. You will like it. There is some wonderful dancing in this

#### "THE KISS OF MARY JANE"

"THE KISS OF MARY JANE"-(By Meties) This film is noted for its excellent pictures. The film is replete with interesting situations and stirring incidents—Don't miss this one.

#### "DEAR KIND HUBBY"

"DEAR KIND HUBBY"—(By Selig) Nothing but fun throughout the entire length of the film. "DISCHARGING THE COOK"

# "DISCHARGING THE COOK"—(By Selig) This picture is one long scream—It is equally as amusing as "Alkali Ikes Auto" exhibited on Thursday evening.

First Exhibition starts at 7.30 P. M. Second Exhibition starts at 9.00 P. M. Adult, Admission 10 cents. Children under 12 years of age, 5 cents

Gallery reserved for Colored Patrons H. S. NEWMAN

# Lumber

Having secured the services of Mr. Robert Beardsley am prepared to furnish either dressed or rough lumber, in any form; square stuff, boards, shingles, sawed in any form or quantity desired by purchaser, of either straight white oak, mixed oak, poplar or chestnut. Mill on Fox Park Farm, three miles north of Mid-

P. COCHRAN, Jr., AGENT Middletown, Del.

## M. BANNING East Main Street Market

#### DEALER IN General Merchandise

One lot of Nickel Frame Mirrors, 71x11 in. on double action easel, regular price 15c now at 18c. One lot of Ladies' White Tea Aprons, several different patterns, plain and with lace edging, regular price 15c

One lot of 18 qt. Dish Pans, regular price 18c now

13c. One lot of No. 7, cold-handle Skillets, two lips, regular price 15c now 18c. One roll of Carpet, very pretty pattern and durable,

regular price 25c, now at 20c. One lot of short lengths in Outing Fiannels, regular price 10c now at 7½c.

One lot of of beautifully decorated Cups and Saucers The above prices are for one week only.

Don't forget to see our new goods, which is coming in everyday now, such as Vases, Jardiniers, Floor Oilcloth and Linoleum, Window Shades. Bed Comforts and Quilts. be the 1912 patterns. If needing anything in that line don't forget to see our stock before purchasing

#### Phone 60 East Main St.

Middletown, Delaware

#### This Week's Bargain Fogel & Burstan BARGAIN NO. 1 We repeat it again that it is now the custom of Fogel & Burstan to offer their patrons

Department Store "THE BUSY CORNER"

Broad and Main St.

Collars is worth the usual selling price of 25c apiece. Middletown,

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#### This Week's Bargain BARGAIN NO. 2

Give the boys a show! So we do, we offer for the boys the very seasonable Bargain of genuine "Black Cat" Boys' Heavy Ribbed Stockings usually sold for 25c

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#### Now 19c

Fough as leather and we guar antee every pair and will replace any pair that does not give perfect satisfaction.

# SHOES-Special Sale Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes

The season has come for heavier and warmer Shoes. Pumps and Low Cuts must be laid aside till next summer. Damp feet, the doctors will tell you, are at the bottom of all sorts of ailments for everybody—for women and children, especially, thick warm shoes are much cheaper than doctor bills and far more agreeable than

medicine. So, parents, look carefully after your children's feet and your own too. We often see young school children, and sometimes women also, wearing thinsoledshoes that let in water. This is not only a very false economy but is dangerous also, for serious diseases like pneumonia and consumption often begin just here-poor

> We have on hand a full stock of fine Winter Shoes, made on the very latest lasts and of the newest styles and shapes and in all leathers, patent colt's skin, gun metal calf, glazed kid skin, etc., in Blucher, lace and button styles, welted and stitched oak soles, Cuban, military and regular heels.

> Men's Shoes in all leathers and styles, prices from \$1.25 to \$4.00. Misses' Shoes in all leathers and styles, prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00. Boys' Shoes, prices 75c to \$2.50.

Ladies' Shoes, in all the new leathers and styles. Prices from \$1.25

### LADIES' CLOAKS

Almost every day ladies tell us of having priced at the large department stores in Philadelphia the very same goods, hats and cloaks, etc., we are offering right here for less money and express their surprise at finding that we offer for \$15.00 the cloaks they ask \$18.00 and \$20.00 fore and for \$5.00 the hats they were asked \$7.00 to \$9.00 for there.

One lady who wanted "the very latest thing in hats," was asked so much in Philadelphia that she came home and bought just the same hat at Fogel & Burstan's for less money-saved money even after throwing away \$2.00 for car fare! This lady volunteered this account and added that things are dearer-the same goods-there than here. And that "I saw no better or prettier selections there than Fogel & Burstan have right here in Middletown."

## Ladies' and Misses' Serge Long Coats

In blue and black serge, full length of good, hard-twisted serge-built on the newest lines, semi-fitting backs, single-breasted in the front-men-tailored, notched collars, plain sleeves, lined throughout with a guaranteed satin lining. A special value \$15.00 generally sold in the cities for \$25.00

#### Women's, Misses' and Little Women's Suits at \$15.00 Here is another example of our wonderful, underprice policy; for these suits are big values at \$25.00. They are made

of excellent, selected wool serge and fancy mixtures, cheviots, also mannish mixtures—in all the new shades—single or double breasted with straight French backs-some perfectly plain, others trimmed with a little touch of velvet, satin, braids and buttons. Coats are lined throughout with guaranteed satin. The skirts are made in the newest Fall styles, remarkably low. Our price only \$15.00 Other suits from \$8.50 to \$25.00.

#### Where the Price of Your New Fall Hat Counts

We have made our trimmed hats famous throughout this vicinity, because we give more style and more real value for \$4.98 than any other store has ever been able to afford, consequently hundreds of women regularly buy their hats here, knowing they will secure the very latest fashions and not need to pay an excessive price.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Don't forget we also have the following stock: Millinery, Dry Goods, Shirtwaists, Underwear, Hosiery, Black Sateen and Black Silk and Flounced Petticoats and Flannel Gowns. Our new stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing is arriving every day and we can save you money. Come and see our lines before you buy.

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The Transcript, \$1.00

Children's Shoes, value \$1.25 to \$2.35 go at 98c to \$1.60 Ladies' Shoes, value \$2.00 to \$3.50, go at \$1.50 to \$2.25 Men's Dress Shoes, \$2.50 to \$3.50 go at \$1.50 to \$2.25 Men's high top \$4.50 guaranteed Shoes, go at \$2.98

It is my intention to reduce my stock of Shoes to make room for my 5c and 10c line.

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Mails Close as Follows. North—7.25 a. m., 10.05° a.m., 4.06° p.m., n. and 8 p. m. g South—8.09 a.m., 4.15 p. m., and 9 p.m Odessa—7.50 a. m., 8.30 a. m., 11.30 a. m., For Odessa-7.50 a. m., 5.00 a ..., 50 p. m. For Warwick, Cecliton and Earlylle 9.20 a. m, and 4.45 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., OCT. 21, 1911

#### LOCAL NEWS

Fall rains. Chestnuts ripe Chrysanthemums Birds are migrating "Coal" weather, this! Hallowe'en is next stop. Thanksgiving next legal holiday. Get "No Trespass" signs at this office. Crowds attending the motion pictures. Hallowe'en will be Monday, October

Get Keith's Ice Cream at WILCUTTS successor to Mrs. Curry.

Fresh Pork, Lamb, Beef and Veal, A SHRIVERS MEAT MARKET. Wagons and Dearborns for sale. J. C. Green.

WANTED-Carpenters at once. JOHNS & WILSON. Warwick, Md.

Dr. J. Allen Johnson will examine your teeth and give estimate without charge. FRESH and SALT FISH at my stor W. C. Jones. at all times. wagons and Dearborns for sale.

J. C. Green.

Get Keith's Ice Cream at WILCUTTS accessor to Mrs. Curry. HIDES WANTED .- The highes

cash prices paid for horse and cow hides. W. C. JONES. The best steak, roasts, lamb and veal, a W. C. Jone's.

WANTED-\$2500 at 5 per cent. on first mortage. Apply to TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.

Peterson will open up a 5 and 10 cent department in their store, November 15. Keith's fresh Peanut and Cocoanut Taffy at WILCUTTS', successor to Mrs.

Chickens, E ggs, and everything usually found in an up-to-date meat market. At SHRIVERS MEAT MARKET

WALL PAPER. 10 and 15 cent paper to sell at 5 cent. Large invoice just received. G. W. PETERSON. The highest cash prices paid for hides

of all kinds. At SHRIVERS MEAT MARKET BIG SALE OF SHOES at Peterson's store

Such bargains never offered in shoes in this town. Don't miss it. Don't forget your Cream for Sunday Keith's make all flavors, at WILCUTTS

successor to Mrs. Curry. LOST-Ladies' purse, containing be tween \$14.00 and \$15.00, on Cass Street. Reward if returned to This Office.

A large assortment of fancy bags, towels both Royal and D. M.C. packages suitables for Christmas gifts.
MRs. J. H. EMERSON The New Castle County Teachers

Institute, scheduled to be held in Newark next month, has been transferred to The Journal of the last session of the Senate of the State of Delaware was com-

pleted last week, when the first shipment was made at the State House.

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sizes ALWAYS in stock and under cover. Guaranteed free from dirt. Oak Wood to fit the stove. 'Phone 5 and 48. JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

The New Winter Coats for Women and Misses, made of Serge, Broad cloth, Plush and Cheviot. The very latest at lowest

MRS. G. W. PETERSON. The Jr. Auxliary of St. Annes intend holding a bake in the room over the TRAN- Denny.

ECRIPT building on Saturday, October 21. Pies, cakes and delicacies for sale. to 8.30; Saturdays 3 to 5. The library

will be open on Tuesday evenings for Stevens. school children exclusively. Now is the time to have your Winter clothing cleaned. Men's Suits \$2.05 ers 75 cents. Ladies skirts \$1.50 and \$1.75, Down quilts, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Blanketa \$1.00 per pair, Lace curtains \$1.00 per pair, Vests 50 cents. Kid gloves, 15 cents per pair, all lengths. We also do the

very finest dyeing.

ROBERT B. JONES. Wise folks will not miss examining the 2 Big Bargains Fogel & Burstan offer this week in Ladies' Collars and Boy's Black Cat stockings. Nor will they miss reading

this week's ad of that firm. Unclaimed Letters-The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post office for the week ending Oct. 12th: Miss Lissy Green, Miss Elenor Townsend, Mr. Benjamin Sweetman, and Mr. Edward Washington.

Law-abiding gunners report several violations to the new game law, one of the great many squirrel hunters are not aware of this provision.

Governor Pennewill has received a telegram from a Florida fruit shipping concern, asking him to have the health authorities of the state to be on the look. out for shipments of green fruit from Florida and to prevent the same if possible.

On Saturday, Oct. 21st, we will place on Sale about three hundred hand Knitted Aviation Caps, made of Germantown wool, all colors, for Women, and Misses, Never before sold for less than \$1.00. dur-FOGEL & BURSTAN.

An all day meeting will be help at Betbel Church, Pivot, Sunday, October 29. An old time love feast at 9 a. m. An old folks' service for all at 10.30 a. m. A grand rally of all the forces at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 7. 30 p. m. The rally

The Delaware Society of Colonial Dames will be guests of the Dover embers at a commemorative meeting to be held in Dover on October 26th. special program has been arranged for this occasion and the old home of Caesa Rodney and other historic places around Dover will be visited.

#### A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Mr. H. S. Newman gave on Thursday evening to about 400 persons a very successful presentation of the first of his "Famons Motion Pictures" for whose presen tation he has had the opera House entirely renovated, painted, papered, etc. in neat

The first half of the evening's show was "The Panama Canal in I911"-by Edison, which gave a graphic picture of that stupendous piece of engineering "Athalia, Queen of Judah," by Path Brothers, a superb adaptation with gorgeous coloring, of the famed tragedy of the great Frenchman, Racine, with Miss Delvain of the French Comedy Company, in the principal role of "Athalia". It was a beautiful presentation. Next followed comic bit that "took" hugely "Alkali Ike's Auto." by Essanay. It was funny throughout, and like all the rest, clearly told its own story. The concluding piece, was a fine exhibition with highly imaginative illustrations, of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe's famous "Battle Hymn of the

The entertainment is certainly a highly eritorous one for a much higher price than 10 cents for adults and 5 cents for

hildren under 12 vears. The 2d, half of the program, which began about 9 P. M., at the conclusion of the first, was a repetition of it for the benefit of those coming later.

The pictures shown and to be given in are, are said to have been passed upon by a National Board of Censors to whom the makers of the best films voluntairly submitted them before presenting to the public. This was done to check the attempt of some parties at first show improper pictures, and has given his new and popular form of amusement is insuring its wide reception. THE TRANSCRIPT does not doubt that Mr. Newman will sustain here the reputation he has already won in his 3 year's showing at Rehoboth for giving clean and wholesome amusement to the

#### PLEASANT SURPRISE

Last Tuesday evening a surprise party was given to Mr. Delbert Gallagher by a umber of his young friends at his home n Crawford street.

The affair was a complete surprise to he young man, and was enjoyed very such by all present. The evening was spent in instrumental and vocal music, games and dancing, and at a late hour rereshments consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee were served. About 25 guests

were present. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. inn, Mrs. Harry Black, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher, Mrs. Enoch Allee, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones, Misses Pearl Gardner, Elsie Byron, Viola Weber, Jennie Gallagher, Edith Francis, Naomi Keith, Helen Jones, Hannah Kirk, Nellie Pyle, Mary Baker, Sarah Kates, Clara Gallagher, Odell Gallagher and Harriett Black. fessrs. Delbert Gallagher, Raymond Jones, of Wilmington, John Gallagher, of Dover, Royden Wilson, Herbert Pyle, William Gallagher, Comegys Cosden, James Carpenter, Carson Segelken, Frank Pierce and Carl Jones.

#### BRIDAL SHOWER

The Queen Esther Circle gave Mrs Clark S. Norman a variety shower Tuesday evening at the home of her parents Mr. aud Mrs. George Foraker on North Broad St. Mr. Norman and Miss Bessie A hog raiser says that the best Fouraker were married two weeks ago and medicine he ever used is hard coal. He have just returned from their wedding always keeps anthracite coal in the pen trip to North Carolina where they visited Mr. Norman's parents. His sister, Miss Nellie Norman returned home with them.

Many beautiful and useful present were among the large collection. Those present beside the bride and groom were Miss Nellie Norman, of North Carolina; Mrs. George Foraker, Mrs. S. J. Brockson, Mrs. W. T. Pearce, Jr., Misses Edna Banning, Lottie Jolle, Ada Scott, Lulu Vinyard, Martha Voehell, Lena Dutton, Emily Allee, Lena Weber, Lillian

Melvin, Elizabeth Holten and Miss Anna Several of the members of the Queen Esther Circle have been married recently. After October first, the library hours Another member will be married next week when Miss Elizabeth May Kumple him and thereupon discovered that he al bake, to be held next Thanksgiving Georgetown, Md.; Miss Marian Woodal will become the bride of Mr. Daniel W

#### SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

A number of young ladies and gentlenen gave one of their Saturday night dances in the hall of the New Century Ulub, on Saturday last. For an impromptu Terpsichorean affair it proved enjoyable nough and the two dozen or so participants had an enjoyable evening till short before 12 o'clock.

Miss Lola Ingram on the piano played fine fashion the twenty numbers waltzes, two-steps and "Old Dan Tucker

Among those present were Misses Eliza beth Lindley, Blanche Deakyne, Estelle Beasten, Madaline Penington, Mary Pleaanton, Hattie Penington, Mamie George, Martha Cochran, Emma Penington, Elma Deakyne, Laura Connellee, of Middletown Laura Kennerley of Odessa; and Messrs Benjamin Gibbs, Wallace Daniels, Archie Manlove, Ephraim Jolls, Frank Richards provisions of which limits the number of John Hukill, Clarence George, Olin Davis, squirrels to be shot in one day to six. A Elias Shallcross, Taylor Barnett, Ralph Shallcross, Irving Robers, of Middletown: Mr. and Mrs. Sewell C. Downs, of Summit

#### CENTURY CLUB MEETING

The regular meeting of the NewCentury Club was held in the Club room on Tuesday afternoon. After the regular business neeting, Mrs. Lillian N. Biggs had charge of the meeting which was given to current events. The three important subjects discussed were the war between Italy and Triple, the Panama Canal and the advance ing this sale 50c. You can't buy the wool of the West, especially California. Instru nental music was given. The program for next Tuesday's meeting will be Tourists," Miss May M. Holten, Chair-

> John J. Hoffecker Jr. for essay on next year. At a meeting of the company on Saturday in the offices of Marvel and the Club last June to the pupil of the Marvel, the varieties of apples to be plant-High School who would write the best ed and arrangements for the planting were

MATTHEW'S CORNER SCHOOL The following pupils deserve speci commendation for the month ending O tober 14th. Seventh Grade—Ethel Danie Willie Roemer. Third grade—Gra Ellingsworth.

## **OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS**

Personal Items About People You See and Know Mr. Leonard Simcox, of Elwin, Pa., was

in town on Friday. Mr. W. B. Kates spent Monday with elatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. J. B. Donovan visited her sister i Wilmington part of last week. Miss Dora Price is visiting her sister Mrs. Lettie Price in Philadelphia.

Miss Emma Brown is spending several weeks with relatives in Philadelphia. Mr. John Gallagher, of Dover, is the

guest of his brother, Delbert Gallagher, Mrs. Hoffecker of Smyrns was a gnest of Mrs. Lindsay Cochran on Tuesday.

Mrs. Marcellus Jones, of Wyncott, Pa. s the guest of Mrs. James R. Hoffecker. Miss Nellie Rothwell has been spending wo weeks with relatives in Philadelphia Mrs. J. C. Parker Jr. is at home efter a

wo weeks visit with friends in Reading, Miss Mattie Taylor, of Earleville, Md. spent Saturday with Miss Laura Dona-

nome after a visit with relatives in Wil-

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Carty, of Dover pent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George

Miss Mary Adkins, of St. Elmo, near May Kumpel. Miss Marion Daniels spent Saturday in

Wilmington, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Burrows. Mrs. E. R. Cochran, of Wilmington,

was a Middletown visitor two or three days during the past week. Mrs. B. Kohl and little daughter Grace,

Mr. and Mrs. Kohl near town. Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Vaughan and little

on and Miss Mary Nowland took an auto trip to Wilmington this week. Miss Mary Beasten has returned home

Philadelphia and Hatsboro, Pa Miss Lottie J. Jolls, Edna Banning and Nellie Norman spent Tuesday in Wilmings ton, making the trip by automobile.

Mr. George D. Kelley Jr., of Newark, spent several days of last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George D. Kelley. Mr. G. Norman Gill, of Philadelphia, rother Mr. John Gill, of Middle Neck.

Miss Nellie Norman, of Plymouth, N. C. spending several weeks with Mrs. Clark . Norman, nee Foraker, on North Broad Street. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beasten and little

daughter Helen, of Wilmington, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Rhoades, near town. Mr. H. S. Beaston who has been on the sick list for several weeks is now improving, and his many friends are glad to see

him on onr streets again. Mrs. Franklin Platt, of Wilmingto and Mrs. Welch, of Chestertown, Md., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Board the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Gibson have noved here from Odessa and are occupying the Gilpin property, which they cently purchased from the Gilpin heirs.

#### HORSE THIEF CAUGHT

Chief of police Harry H. Hilvard made Middletown on Thursday afternoon an mportant capture of a colored man nam-August stole it is charged a horse in Delaware County, Penn.

The authorities there finally traced him Dickinson but he sailed to get the fellow tickets 35 cents. who had left the town.

was the very man wanted so badly in night

He was arraigned before Squire Alfred G. Cox on the charge of drunkenness and sentenced to the workhouse in default of \$3.00 fine.

The Constable will serve the warrant for his arrest on the horse-stealing charge and has wired the sheriff of Delaware County Penn. that he should come and get the man.

### TO BUILD A MASON HOME

The Masons of Delaware following the example of the Improved Order of Red Men who have a fine home in Newark, are about to found a home for aged members, of their order. It is the wish to have he home located on a farm, and it is said the state generally.

and railroads and in the very midst of a which refreshments were served. richly cultivated district

Mr. W. S. Letherbury who is a member of the Finance Committee, is doing what he can in behalf of Middletown. It has been suggested that the tract of land now used by F. J. Steele would be an ideal spot upon which to build such a home. The few acres would serve the double pur The lew acree would serve the double pur pose of raising enough vegetables and fruits for their own use, and wendle and for their own use, and wendle and the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of fruits for their own use, and wendle and the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of fruits for their own use, and wendle and the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of the serve the double pur they placed a monster three ton pole of the serve they are the serve they are the serve they are they are the serve the serve they are the serve the serve they are the serve the ser ruits for their own use, and would enable some of the stronger inmates by beneficial and pleasing toil to pay at least in part also replacing many of their small poles their own expenses.

#### Large Apple Orchard

One of the greatest apple orchards in the United States will be set out by the tion near Bridgeville, for merly the S. Harrington Messick farm, this fall and decided upon. It was agreed that 48,000 trees should be plauted before winter and in the spring they are to plant 20,000 m make 100,000 in all, one of the largest orchards in the country. The trees to be put down will be two years old, and Stayman's Wikesap and Williams will be among the principal varieties.

#### NEW LIGHT & WATER REPORT

Before us lies the first annual state mission, being the 19th yearly report made interesting document, one whose perusa by the long suffering tax-payers of this town who have grown so weary of pour-ing taxes down a rat hole, will thoroughly enjoy. Amazing as it may appear this new management shows a gain in 14 months of \$2567.10! These gains are \$1403.92 for light, \$369.68 for water, for coal \$793.50. Some little of this total gain of \$2567.10 is the result of increased revenues, but most of it has come from the application of sound, careful business methods to the management of the town's affairs and the closing up of a number of old leaks that were sorely bleeding the

town's money chest. THE TRANSCRIPT warmly congratulates the new commission upon its admirable work. They merit the thanks of all the citizens for having rescued the town from the certain bank ruptcy which awaited it. The Commission is composed as follows:

Mesers George V. Peverley, President 1912) John C. Green, Treasurer (1913) Dr. D. W. Lewis, Secretery (1915) J. A. Cleaver, Member, (December 1910 to May 1911) R. L. Price, Member (Since May 1911) Henry L. Davis, Treasure (from May 30th, 1910 to May 1st, 1911).

#### MISSIONARY SUPPER

The ladies of the Mite Society of the Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss M. E. Church held their monthly meeting on Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. M. B. Burris. They planned, among other business, their annual bake and rummage sale to be held two days before next Thanksgiving.

The ladies of the Home Missionary So ciety of the Bethesda M. E. Church gave their yearly supper on last Thursday evening in the hall of the New Century of New York City, have been visiting Club, and it was a big success, andrealised for the Society \$90.00. The supper the ladies gave was delicious, and the five tables seating 10 each were filled for several hours with appreciative patrons. Then the outside orders, like the inside diners, were past all records in numbers. after a months' visit with her sisters in The only defect in the delightful service was the delay caused by an attempt to McCauley. They were the regulation full fill these orders along with the orders of those present. We understand that hereafter a set time will be named for filling outside orders-earlier, or later-and the patrons present receive more prompt attention. With this correction the

#### ome really famous affairs hereabout. FOGEL & BURSTAN'S OPENING

Multitudes attended the Fogel & Burstan Department Store's Grand Fall Opening, about all the ladies in Middleown, and all the country round.

The store was handsomely decorated with flowers and potted plants and ferns. In the millinery department were displayed a bewildering number of elegant costumes and hats etc. for ladies in the newest fashions which were inspected by the visiting ladies with much interest, many of them purcha-ing. Their up-to-date service, superior values in goods, and courteous dealings, make the Fogel and Burstan Department Store a place where the public delight to shop. Fogel and Burstan have greatly enlarged their facilities for doing business, have added a number of fine new show cases, and are putting in a \$500.00 steam heating plant. For the accomodation of their lady patrons they have provided a coey drawing-room with restful chairs, toilet etc. Their business maxim is "We believe in telling the truth, believe in treating our customers honestly and fairly." They feel sure that an adherence to this policy together with their large and well stocked store to back it up will give their firm a flattering success. the visiting ladies with much interest,

### To Give Church Supper

The ladies of the home Missionary So-The authorities there finally traced him ciety of Bethesda M. E. Church gave les Crawford, Chestertown, Md.; Mr. to this state and in the neighborhood of in the hall of the New Century Club, on Charles Bush, Wilmington, Del.; Miss Middletown. A warrant for his arrest Thurday evening one of their always popwas placed in the hands of constable John ular suppers for the benefit of the society; Marian Mifflin, Odessa, Del.; Miss

Thursday however he came back and these met on Saturday evening at the resi Hyland, Galena, Md.; Mr. Richard Rodrum was his undoing, for he become so dence of Mrs. Martin B. Burris, and ney, New Castle, Del.; Miss Mary Herry,

#### Lost His Pocket Book

Mesers. R. R. Cochran, C. P. Cochran P. Comegys, Philadelphia, Pa, Miss Bes relieving Mr. R. R. Cochran of his purse ontaining more than \$20 and some valuable papers. Mr. Cochran offers a liberal reward for the return of the papers, and romises to ask no questions about the

#### Variety Shower

pel tendered her a variety shower, Wed- C. Connelle, Miss Laura Connellee, Mi Middletown is being considered by the ticipation of her approaching marriage M. B. Burris, Dr. and Mrs. McDowell, committee of seven members, three of next Wednesday, and was a complete sur-them from Wilmington and four from prise to her. Forty or more guests were Lockwood, Mr. William G. Lockwood, present and the gifts were all appropriate Mrs. George Lockwood, Mrs. J. C. Green, This locality is in several ways well and useful. The time was spent in social Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brady and family, Miss suited for such a purpose being centrally intercourse, vocal and instrumental music situated, with an abundance of good roads and all spent a delightful evening, after Agnes Cochran, Mrs. Lindsey Cochran, Misses Paton and Agnes Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Brady intercourse, vocal and instrumental music | Marie T. Lockwood, Miss Jesse Shepherd,

#### New Poles and Bigger Ones The Diamond State Telephone Compa-

ny have finished replacing their poles between Wilmington and Smyrna via Odesse, about 1200 in number to the outskirts of the town.

S. E. Corner of Cochran Square.

#### with larger ones. Large Chestnut Crop

The chestnut crop of 1911 on the Dela-Delaware Apple Company on its planta-for many years, and the small boy and larger one too, who are accustomed to have in many cases this year gathered from one to four bushels. Wedding Announced

Mrs. K. V. Russell, of Clayton, an ounces the marriage of her daughter, Edith Virginia Russell, of Chicago, Iil., to Mr. Elmer Sherman Webb, of Dela-

#### A SWELL CHURCH WEDDING

Big Audience—Flowers—Music Impressive Geremonial

Miss Justine Benson Peverley, daught f Mr. and Mrs. George Peverley, of Mid-James Edward Woodall Jr. of Georgetawn eighteenth at seven o'clock in St. Anne's piscopal Church, Middletown, by the Rev. Percy L. Donaghay, rector of the The Church was beautifully decorated

with masses of palms, ferns, and cut flowers, chrysanthemums and cosmos predomting in the decorative effect, and presented a very pretty appearance, being filled as it was with the intimate friends of the bridal couple. The entire church was proceeded up the nave of the church to

hengrin's Wedding March, and were met at the sanctuary steps by the groom and best man, Mr. Sydney Dunham Peverley, final ceremony and benediction were proounced. The bride was given in marri age by her father. The bride, a petite blonde, looked very lovely in her handsome gown of white

point and duchess lace and pearls. The Isabella Smith part of last week. maid of Honor, Miss Charlotte W. Peverley wore a dress of vellow chiffon cloth. The following ladies acted as bridesnaids, Miss Marion Woodall, Miss Eliza C. Green, Miss Susan Foard and Miss Mary Nowland.

The Matrons of Honor, were Mrs. Julian Md., this week. H. Foard, Mrs. Dorsey Lewis, Mrs. Henry S. Brady. The gowns of the Brides maids and Maons of honor were of the primary colors giving the effect at intended of a rain-

bow wedding. These eight ladies all carrying large yel low chrysanthenums as they marched one

The following gentlemen acted as ushers, Messrs. Richard Rodney, Cuthbert G verley, Julian H. Foard, Charles Craw ford, William A. Highland and Andrew dress suits with white gloves and white

During the ceremony, Mrs. J. Aller buson presided at the organ and ren dered a number of beautiful selections "O promise me," being played softly during the actual wedding ceremony. After the church ceremony a receptio

llowed at the home of the bride. The room presented a pretty and attractive appearance, being tastily decorated with hrysanthenums, and other flowers and foliage. The guests partook of a sump tuous wedding repast, the occasion being enlivened by the strains of music rendered by the Norris Orchestra. Between 200 and 300 guests epioved the elegant hospi-

tality of Mr. and Mrs. Peverley. The bride was the recipients of many and costly presents, in solid silver, cul ngs, a piano from her father aud all the customary away of handsome and useful appliances for housekeeping Many out of town guests were present The bride wore a traveling suit of brown breadcloth. The newly wedded couple left via auto at a late hour for the nort preliminary to an extended honeymoon. The following ladies and gentleme. were among the numerous guests present

at the reception.

Mr. Issac Gibbs, Chestertown, Md. Mr. Sydney D. Peverley, Mechanicville Md.: Mre: Harold Green, Boston, Mass, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Peverley, Mechanicville, Md.: Miss Harriett Leech Bristol, Pa.; Miss Margaret Dunham, Ambler, Pa.: Misses Caroline Dunham and Mrs. James G. Wescott, Chestertown Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bradley, Char-Mary Aspril, Odessa Del.; Mr. Andrew The ladies of the Mite Society of Be- McCauley, Galena, Md.; Mr. William Georgetown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Welsh, Georgetown, Md.: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith, Sassfaras, Md.; Mr. George Lockwood, Philadelphia, Pa.: Mr. and Mrs. J. and W. B. Biggs attended the races at Morton, Phila., Pa.; Mrs. Jesse Shepherd, Laurel, Md., several days this week. Owing to the rainy weather the races did not Vaughan, Dr. and Mrs. Stites, Mrs.J. A. ng to the rainy weather the succeeded in Johnson, Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Donaghay, Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Moore, Rev. and Mrs. V. S. Collins, Miss Mary Hutchip, Mrs. Duvall Gibbs, Miss E. Gibbs Miss E. Lindley, Mrs. T. E. Lindley. Miss Hester Jones, Miss Josephine Biggs, Mrs. J. G. Bragdon, Mr. Lloyd Bragdon, Miss Helen Myers, Miss Nellie Janvier, Mr. John Hukill, Mr. and Mrs. G. Janvier, A number of friends of Miss May Kum- Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Connellee, Mr. Alfred nesday evening. The event being in an- and Mrs. Charles Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Brady Mrs. H. V. Parvis, Miss May McFall Mrs. Bessie Chamberlaine, Mrs. and Mrs. G. L. Townsend, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Lewis, Mrs. Nath, Williams, Mr. W. N. Willits, Miss Laura Willits, Mr. Jesse

# If something is not done to remedy the

Willits, Mr. Frank Biggs.

munity farmers will in time suffer a total loss. Seed treatment with formalin is the reliable remedy so far discovered. bute the moisture evenly, then shovel into a pile and cover with sacks or canvas for two hours. Sacks, drills or other re-ceptacles should be disinfected with the ne solution before filling with treated One pound (pint) formalin when Edith Virginia Russell, of Chicago, Ill., to Mr. Elmer Sherman Webb, of Delaware City, on Seytember 28th, at New Castle. The young people will be at home appreciate the importance of using this stress Newsber 19. Delaware City.

#### **ODESSA**

Miss Louise VanDyke, of Philadelphia,

visited friends in town. Miss Mollie Staats is spending son Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson were Phil adelphia visitors part of this week. Mrs. Emily McClellen, of Chester, Pa.

spent part of this week with relatives here. Mrs. Hester Snape, of Philadelphia, shent some time last week with friends i

Captain William Rhein, of Reedy Island. was an over Sunday visitor with his pa ents here. Mrs. Joseph Heller and daughter Eliz

abeth were Delaware City visitors part of last week. Mr. Harry Huhn, of Chester, Pa., visited his father, Mr. Geo. Huhn, Wednesday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Watkins, of Philadelphia, were guests of relatives in town this week. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton and daugh-

ter, of Galena, Md., were over Sunday guests of her parents. Mr. Elwood Thornton was elected dele held in Wilmington this week.

Miss Helen Hall, of Middletown. Duchess satin, exquisitely trimmed with the guest of her cousins Miss Viola and Mr. Charles Bush, of Wilmington, was

> send and family Friday of last week. Rev. J. H. Gray and wife also Mr. Villiam Bogensheitz attended the Epworth League Convention at Greensl

#### TOWNSEND

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels, of near town, entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Crossan, of Wilmington Mrs. Lester ahead and in the rear with six in twos in the center made a very pretty picture.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter, of Middle town, and Mrs. J. A. Hart. Mr. and Mrs. William Naylor, of Odess

Miss Elma Lockerman has returned after spending some time with her sister at Atlantic City. Mrs. W. A. Scott, Mrs. L. L. Maloney

and daughter Elizabeth were in Philade phia on Saturday. Mr. Lloyd Knotts, of Wilmington, spen Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. G. Naylor, of Wilmington, was an over Sunday visitor with W. C. Money Miss Ethel Lee returned home on Sat-

urday after a ten days visit with relative in Wilmington. Mr. Walter Heavelow, a well known farmer, of near town, died on Wednesday after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Mary E. Money has returned home

after spending three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Rvon, of Wilming Mr. Baynard Marvel spent Sunday with Mr. Fred Alfree of near town. Mr. Walter Hart and daughter Marion

### were in Wilmington on Saturday.

CHESAPEAKE CITY Miss Elsie Ingram, of Alabama, is visitng her cousin Mrs. Richard Wallace.

Misses Daisy Bouchelle and cousin Ids uchelle spent Monday in Elkton. Mr.L. Frank Ellison, of New York City, as been spending two weeks at the hom

of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S Mrs. James S. Hopper and daughte Miss Alice spent several days this week

in Philadelphia, returning home on Wed nesday evening. Mr. Haray Sherman attended the wedding of his sister at Germantown, Pa., on

ednesday. Mrs. A. J. DeCoursey is visiting Philadelphia friends this week. Miss Lucy Jackson, of Wilmington, i

#### visiting Mrs. Laura Williams. BLACKBIRD

Mrs. Fannie Guessford spent a few days of last week with relatives in Wilmin

Mr. Spencer Buckson, of Wilmington spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James A. Buckson.

Mr. Joe McPherson, of Philadelphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker and family, near Clayton. Mr. William Fennemore, Jr., of Wil nington, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fennemore. Our Epworth League services will b

lead Sunday evening by Mrs. James A The Topic:-Abstinence and Prosperity. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McMicheal, o Philadelphia, spent two weeks with his

sister, Mrs. Harry Walker and family Mr. William Anderson and David D Staats spent part of Saturday and Sun day with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, in Delaware City.

## Miss Buelah Buckson and friend Mr. Martin Shaw, of Wilmington, spent Sun-day with Miss Buckson's parents Mr. and Mrs. James A. Buckson. READY FOR APPLE SHOW

"smut" or "bunt" in wheat in this con Delaware's greatest fruit exhibit—the one to be displayed in Madison Squise Garden, New York, next month at the United States Land Show when two only reliable remedy so far discovered. The Delaware College Experiment Station submits this suggestion: "Spread the seed on a clean floor or canvass and sprinkle with a solution of one pound (pint) of formalin to fifty gallons of water until thoroughly moist, but not wet enough to drip. Stir the seed repeatedly to distribute the seed repeatedly the se in any agricultural movement all the big apple growers, including those who introduced modern spraying and growing it this State and have since made for tures, are united in the determination to

#### GURRENT PRICES

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET CORRECTED WEEKLY BY S. B. FOARD, heat—No. 2 .92 | Corn— No. 1 Yellow, shelled 60 Timothy Seed \$8.50 " cob.... 50 Clover Seed \$10.30 Oats ........ 50 MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. T. CONNELLER 26@2 29@3 country Butter, per ib.... breamery Butter, per ib. 

#### FOR SALE!

A Guernsey Bull Calf of best blood, from one of my best cows. Sire my bull Governor, 1st of the Chenes, son his dam Marans, bred by me. She has just gone into the Advanced Register with a year's record of 786.89 lbs. of butter. Governor 1st of the Chene, sire of the above bull is by the greatest of Island bulls. Champion Governor of the Chene and his dam Ringdale Bella 2d, took second prize and gave 264 quarts of milk per day. gave 26½ quarts of milk per day. Price \$20 if taken at once.

JOHN C. HIGGINS, Delaware City, Del

#### NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS Blackbird Hundred

Hundred, and all persons liable to pay ax in said Hundred, are hereby notified hat the Taxes for the year 1911 are now

due, and the undersigned Tax Co. for said Hundred, will be AT BLACKBIRD, WATSON'S STORE, OCTOBER 28th, 1911 From 1 to 4 P. M. AT FLEMING'S LANDING, OCTOBER 30th, 1911 From 1 to 4 P. M.

OCTOBER 26th, 1911 From 1 to 4 P. M. Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Collector, or ersonal application to y sending written

losing stamps.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY:
Section 3—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

JOHN BEITH, Collector of Tax for Black

#### NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS -OF-St. Georges Hundred

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay ax in said Hundred, are hereby notified hat the Taxes for the year 1911 are now tue, and the undersigned Tax Collector or said Hundred, will be at

A. G. COR'S OFFICE, MIDDLETOWN SATURDAY OCT. 28th, 1911 From 1 to 3 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18th, 1911 EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, G. VERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS

mr. and Mrs. James S. Hopper and Miss Alice Hopper spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Alice Woodall, at Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Savin, of Wilmington, were over Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Savin.

The Ladies of the Methodist Church cleared \$30.00 at their social last week.

JOHN E. DENNY, Apply to

## Plain Overcoats Medium Patterns

Extreme Styles Good taste, good style and good sense make good looks. Come in and look them over: the new Fall and Winter weights in and ready.

Fall Overcoats \$8 to \$25. Blacks, Oxfords, Browns and the new Greys. Silk lined Dress Overcoats at \$15, \$20 and \$25. Grey Raglans at \$15, \$20 and \$25.

Winter Overcoats \$6 to \$40. Silk Lined Dress Coats at \$25 to \$40. The new Grev long Coats with Velvet. Cloth and Convertible Collars at \$10 to \$25.

Full line Reefers and Top Coats in all sizes for little Boys and Boys. Biggest Because MULLIN'S Clothing Best Hats

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

The taxable residents of Appoquini mink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1911 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

AT THE OFFICE OF GEORGE M. D. HART. IN TOWNSEND, DEL., EVERY SATURDAY, During OCTOBER 1911, From 1 to 5 o'clock, P. M.

Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Collector, or by sending written communication enlosing stamps. COSING SMRINDS.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE,
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WILLIAM C. MONEY.

**NEAT** and BEST

JOB WORK

This Office

## Suits and Overcoats that look right and stay right

One of the most noticeable deficiencies of ordinary apparel is the absence of shade-holding qualities. If a suite or overcoat does not retain its good styling and appearance, if it loses its shape, it is not a good garment. Our clothes are all tailored by the best skilled workmanship in the business, cut from finest materials and made to stay attractive. They hold their shape until the very end. That's why you should look over our assortment before selecting a suit or overcoat anywhere. We have all the newest models on display-all the best materials in pretty weaves and colors-all new ideas. Kirschbaum and other clothes-corking value at \$10-\$15-\$20.

During this wet spell you need a Slip-on. We have on show a very fine line in various new models and shades-Waterproof, stylish, classy coats at \$5-\$7.50-

#### Delightful Shoes for all Feet

In the footwear section are displayed very complete lines of good shoes for Fall and Winter. Douglas, Walk-Over and others for men-all styles and leathers-\$1.50 to \$5. Queen Quality and LaVogue for women-high cut boots and staple effects \$1.50 to \$4.00. Douglas shoes for boys \$2.50 and \$3. Every pair guaranteed to satisfy all requirements. Try on a few of the new numbers.

#### "SPECIAL"

100 pair men's Gum Boots, Fresh new Goods, Wool Lined, \$2.50 a pair.

CHAPTER I.

A Dispatch for Longstreet. It was a bare, plain interior—the low table at which he sat an unplaned

board, his seat a box, made softer by a folded blanket. His only compan lons were two aides, standing silent beside the closed entrance, anxious to anticipate his slightest need.

He will abide in my memory for ever as I saw him then—although we were destined to meet often afterwards-that old gray hero, whose mas terly strategy held at bay for so long those mighty forces hurled on our constantly thinning lines of defense. To me the history of war has never con tained his equal, and while I live I shall love and revere him as I can love and revere no other man.

"General Lee." said one of the aides as I passed the single sentry and drew aside the flap to step within, "this is Captain Wayne."

He deliberately pushed away the mass of papers which had been engaging him, and for an embarrassing moment fixed upon me a glance that seemed to read me through and through. Then, with simple dignity, far more impressive than I can pic ture it in words, he arose slowly and

extended his hand.
"Captain Wayne," he said gravely, yet retaining his grasp, and with his eyes full upon mine, "you are a much younger man than I expected to see, yet I have selected you upon the special recommendation of your brigade commander for services of the utmost your youth to be against your success, but I feel unwilling to order you to the performance of this duty, which, besides being beyond the regular requirements of the service, in-

volves unusual risks." "Without inquiring its nature," said, hastily, "I freely offer myself volunteer for any service which may be required either by the army or

The kindly face brightened instant ly, almost into a smile, and a nev look of confidence swept into the keep

gray eyes.
"I felt, even as I spoke," he said, with a dignified courtesy I have never marked in any one else, "that I must be doing wrong to question the willingness of an officer of your regiment, Captain Wayne, to make personal sac-rifice. From our first day of battle until now the south has never once called upon them in vain. You are from the ranks, I believe?"

"I was a corporal at Manassas." "Ah! then you have won your grade by hard service. You take with you

"Sergeant Craig of my troop, sir, good soldier, who knows the country He lowered his eyes to the numer

ous papers littering the table, and then, leaning over, traced lightly with a colored pencil a line across an out spread map.
"You speak of his knowing the country well; are you aware, then, of your

"I merely inferred from what Colonel Carter said that it was your de-

sire to reestablish communication with General Longstreet."

"That is true; but do you know where Longstreet is?'

"Only that we of the line suppose him to be somewhere west of the mountains, sir. It is camp gossip that his precent bare of supplies is at

"Your conjecture is partly correct although I have more reason to be-lieve that the head of his column has reached Bear Fork or will by tomorrow morning. Kindly step this way, meet the son of my did friet d, and Captain Wayne, and make note of the blue lines I have traced across this mother. But now goodby, captain, and map. Here, you will observe, is Minersville, directly beyond the high ridge. You will notice that the Fed. Wayne of Virginia will always de his eral lines extend north and south di- duty." rectly between us, with their heavier vance passes Bear Fork. There re-mains, therefore, no time for any long "Sergeant," he said—and I was detour; the messenger who bears it

earnestly: then suddenly he lifted his eyes to mine, and said firmly: "I am perfectly frank with you. Are you

I felt the hot blood leap into my face, but I met his stern gase without finching.

"If I live, General Lee, I shall meet his advance at Bear Fork by day

"God guide you; I believe you will."
His words seemed attered unconsciously. He turned stightly, and minded toward the door. "Major Riolmes, will you kindly hand me the draft of that dispatch?"
He took the reserving the out.

He took the paper from the out-stretched hand of the aide, read it ever slowly and with great care, wrote a word of explanation upon the margin, and then extended it to me.

mit that to memory, word by word, to your memory; we must run no possible risk of its ever falling into the enemy's hands."

I can see it now, that coarse yellow paper—the clear, upright penmanship, the words here and there misused and corrected, the sentence scratched out, the heavy underlining of a command, and his own strangely delicate signature at the bottom.

"Headquarters, Army Northern Vir

"Headquarters, Army From Fig. 21, 22, 22 P. M. Sept. 23, 2 P. M. "Lieutenant General Longstreet, "Commanding Left Wing." Siz: You will advance your entire force by the Connelton and Sheffield free, so as to reach Castle Rock with fur full infantry command by dayless. September 24th. Left this supposes.

tial that we form prompt connect of forces, and to accomplish this re sult will require a quick, persistent at tack upon your part. You are hereby ordered to throw your troops forward without reserve, permitting them to be halted by no obstacle, until they come into actual touch with my col-umns. The success or failure of my plans will depend utterly upon your strict observance of these orders

"General Commanding. I handed back the paper, and lifted my hand in salute.
"You have memorized it?"

"Word for word, sir." "Repeat it to me." He held the paper before him as I did so, and at the close lifted his eyes

again to my face. "Very good," he said, quietly. "New let there be no mistake; repeat it over to your companion as you proceed until he has memorized it, and one of you must live long enough to reach Longstreet. I advise you to take the Langley road—it is the most pro-



"You Are a Much Younger Man Than

and not try to pass beyond the old Coulter plantation until after dark, or you will run the risk of being observed by the enemy's pickets. Beyond this I must leave all to your own discretion.

He paused, and I still lingered thinking he might have something more to add. "Are you one of the Waynes of

Charlottesville?" he asked gravely. "Colonel Richard Wayne was my father, sir. "Ah, indeed! I remember him

well;" and his face lit up with a most tender smile. "We were together in Mexico. A Virginia gentleman of the eld school. He is dead. I believe?" "He was killed, sir, the first year of the war."

"I remember; it was at Antietam And your mother? If my memory is not at fault she was a Pierpont?" "She is now in Richmond, sir, and the old plentation is but a ruin.

is indeed sad." he said slov ly; "and I often feel that our southern women are compelled to bear the brunt of it. What heroines they have proven! History records no equal to the daily sacrifices I have witnessed in the past three years. God grant it may be soon ended."

Then, as if suddenly moved by the impulse of the moment, he again ex-tended his hand.

"Well, lad," he said kindly, the same grave smile lighting his face, "our country needs us. We must not waste time here in conversation. I am very glad to have been permitted to

Bareheaded and with proudly swellbodies of infantry along the Wharton ing heart I backed out of the tent as pike, and so disposed as to shut off I might have left the throne room of all communication between us and our an emperor, but as I grasped the reins fleft wing. Now, the message I must get into Longstreet's hands is imperative; indeed, I will say to you, the me. Craig flung up his hand in quick, very safety of this army depends upon its reaching him before his adgle rapid stride, the general stood at

struck by the incisive military tone must take his life in his hands and ride straight westward through the yery lines of the enemy."

He spoke these words rapidly, with the roads to the westward." "Every bridle-path, sir, either by

might or day."
"Then possibly you can inform me whether the Big Hickory is fordable at Deer Gap."

"Not for infantry at high water, sir; but there is another ford two miles north where it is never over waist deep." "That would be at Brixton's mill?"

"No, sir; the other way."

Lee smiled, and rested his hand almost caressingly on the trooper's

risk on such a ride," he said kindly. "But I desire you to understand, ser-geant, how deeply I value the service you are about to render, and that I shall never permit it to be forgotten or go unrewarded. And now, good-night, sargeant; goodnight, Captain

As we turned into the main road, riding slowly, I glanced backward. The general was yet standing there in front of his tent, gazing after us, the rays of the westering sun gleaming on his gray hair.

CHAPTER II.

The Night Ride. By five o'clock we were safe at Col-chester, and while our horses rested and refreshed themselves on some confiscated grain, the two of us lay we swerved to the left, and still moving rapidly but with considerable care for the horses, headed directly across the more broken country toward the foot-hills. It proved to be a hard, toilsome climb up those long, steep slopes rising before us; for we were extremely careful now to keep well away from every known route of travel, and our horses, although selected from among the best mounts of the cavalry brigade, had already been thoroughly winded by their smart trot

up the valley. An hour of this work passed.
Whether or not we were yet within
the enemy's lines was largely conjecture for no human eye could pierce the enveloping gloom, and no sound, either of warning or encouragement, reached us as we strained our ears. The sergeant rode slightly in advance as we toiled up the higher terrace, for our sole dependence as to direction and distance was upon his mem ory, and even that could scarcely serve for much on such a night as this. I traced his passage upward as best I might, and pressed close after him, guided not so much by sight as by sound—the occasional rolling of a loosened stone, the rustling of leaves as he touched a bush in passage, the faint clinking of his sabre, and the heavy breathing of his horse—until at last his long, slender figure rose sufficiently above the dark hill surface to be faintly silhouetted in deeper shadow against the dim reflection of the upper sky. Almost coincidently with this my horse ranged up beside his, where he had drawn rein in evi-

dent perplexity. "What is it, Dan?" I questioned cautiously; for all I could feel reasonably assured of just then was that behind any rock or tree in our front there might be crouching a Federal picket.

"It's nothin', Cap," he answered quietly, turning his face toward me as he spoke. "I'm just tryin' ter 'member some landmark yereabout ter guide from. Blamed if ever I see such a dark night; it's like bein' inside a pocket, sir, an' I reckon as how it must be nigh onter ten year since I run loose in this yere country as a kid. That thar cut-off we took a while back has sort o' confused me; that's a fac', and I don't just know whar I am: but I reckon as how the main ridge road we're a huntin' after oughtpointed forward into the night.

"Very well; hand me your rein, and see what you can discover out there on foot. Sitting here isn't apt to mend matters, and we surely cannot afford to cripple our horses among those rocks.

The sergeant, a gaunt, tireless meuntaineer, slipped silently from his saddle, swung his light cavalry carbine from his back to the honow of his arm, and in another moment was lost to sight in the darkness. A snake could not have slipped away more stealthily. I heard a stone rattle un der his foot, a half-suppressed oath, and then the night had completely swallowed him.

How utterly alone I seemed; how intensely, painfully still everything was! The silence felt almost like a weight, so greatly it oppressed me. Even the accustomed voices of nature were hushed, as if war, with its unspeakable cruelty, had cast a spell ver all things animate and inanimate. It was weird, uncanny. With every nerve strained, I leaned forward across the pommel of my saddle, lis-tening for the slightest sound out in that black void. My head burned and throbbed as with fever, and I felt that strange, unnatural stillness as though it had been a physical thing; surely esides us were upon this top! For I knew well-my every sol dier instinct told me-that somewhere out in that impenetrable mystery were blasing the camp fires of an enemy Vigilant eyes were peering everywhere in search of such as we. How far away they might lurk I could not even conjecture — perhaps merely around some projecting wall of rock, and we might even now be within the range of their ready rifles. could hear the quickened throbbing of my heart, and my hand fell heavily on a pistol butt in nervous expect

The soft night wind, heavy with pine odors, began suddenly to play amid the leaves of a low tree beside me, and the pleasant rustling mingled like strains of music with the slow now as one of the lonellest moments of my life, one of those almost un-accountable conditions of mind and body when it seemed to me that the thin, sinewy fingers of an inexorable fate were closing down with a pressure which no strength of man might resist. I was worn with fatigue in the saddle, but did not dream of sleep; my mind, in a firm endeavor to cast aside the uncanny influences of the hour, recalled in swift pano rama those three years of civil strife which had run their course since I, a slender, white-faced lad, had stolen forth into the moonlight from the por-tals of the old home, to ride away into the northward where the throbbing drums called me. So deeply had my every thought become merged in these musings that Craig, slipping silently as a ghost from out the engulfing darkness, laid hand upon my bridle-rein before I became aware of

"I got 'er all right now, Cap," he announced quietly, peering up into my face. "We uns are not more hor a hundred yards ter the right of the road, but I reckon you'll find ther way

a bit rough."

• He led both horses forward, moving slowly and with that silent caution so characteristic of his class. With scarcely the scraping of a hoof on the flinty rocks we came forth in safety upon the defined, hard-beaten

track. "The south is over yonder ter the left," he whispered, as he swung up into saddle, "an' the trend of the road is mighty nigh due west." "But in which direction does their

main camp lie, sergeant?"
"Durn it; thet's just what I can't quite figure out, sir—whether we uns he to ther north or south of ther white church. Then, somehow or other, it seems like to me as if this yere road lay a bit too close ter the edge of ther plateaus ter ever be the main pike what the Feds marched over. I reckon from ther direction it runs that maybe it might be a branch like, or a wood-road leadin' inter the other. If thet's the way it

inter the other. If thet's the way it is, then them fellers we uns is tryin' ter dodge ought ter be down youder ter the left somewhar."

I gazed vaguely out into the black vacancy to which he pointed.

"Well, if we should chance to run up against one of their picket poets we shall soon be enlightened. I returned, urging my horse caracular tore.

But he shall here to be the picket poets we shall soon be enlightened.

Not daring to senture on any gait "Third on the left." faster than a walk along this unknown and ill-defined mountain trail, we slow-"All right, then. Nothing else, I believe;" for I was eager to get away. "Sergeant, just ride in there ly and cautiously worked our way forward for more than an hour, meet-ing with no human obstacle to our progress, yet feeling that each step and lead out her horse. We will have to be moving gentlemen for it is a ugh road and a dark night." "Beastly," assented the other, heart-I fairly held my breath as Craig

would mean instant betrayal. And how coolly he went at it; with a sharp touch of the spur, causing his

jaded horse to exhibit such sudden

restlessness as to keep the escort well to one side, while I ranged close

up to our unwelcome guest, and lay-

ing firm hand upon her horse's bit,

let forth to where I waited. It was quickly, nobly done, and I could have

he failed to show up on such an oo-

"Well, good luck to you, major,

"He was unfortunate enough to be

sent out in the other direction with

It was sweet music to me to listen to their hoof-beats dying rapidly away

behind us as we turned back down the

dark road, the sergeant still riding with his one hand grasping the stranger's rein. I endeavored to scan

her figure in the blackness, but found

the effort useless, as little more than a shadow was visible. Yet it was im-

pressed upon me that she sat straight

and firm in the raddle, so I concluded

she must be young.
"Madam," I began, seeking to feel

my way with caution into her confidence, "I fear you must be quite wearied by your long ride."

She turned slightly at sound of my

"Not at all, sir; I am merely eager

to push on. Besides, my ride has not

from General Sigel's headquarters."

and refined.

take.

been a long one, as we merely came

The voice was pleasantly modulated

"Ah, yes, certainly," I stammered, fearful lest I had made a grave mis-

General Sigel was at Coulterville.

"He advanced to Bear creek yes terday," she returned quietly. "So

you see we had covered scarcely more

than three miles when we met. How much farther is it to where Major

I fear I was guilty of hesitancy, but

was only for a moment.
"I am unable to tell exactly, for, as

it chances, I have never yet been in the camp, but I should judge that two hours' riding will cover the distance."

"Why," in a tone of sudden surprise,

"Captain Hale certainly told me it

was all of twenty miles!"
"From Bear creek?" I questioned

eagerly, for it was my turn to feel

startled now. "The map barely makes

"It is but ten, and scarcely that, by

the direct White Briar road; or, at at least, so I heard some of the

younger officers say; but it seems the

Confederate pickets are posted so close to the White Briar that my friends decided it would be unsafe to

This was news indeed-news so un-

expected and startling that I forgot

"Then what road do they call this?"

She laughed at my evident ignorance, as well as the eagerness of my

"Really, you are a most peculiar wide" she exclaimed gayly. "You al-

guide," she exclaimed gayly. "You almost convince me that you are lost,

Fortunately, sir, out of my vast knowl-

proceed that way.'

Brennan is stationed?'

"But really I had supposed

dispatches-goodnight, gentlemen."

Deuced queer, though, why

hugged the fellow.

casion as this."

and a pleasant ride. Reme

forward was surrounded by imminent peril. That we were now well within the guarded lines of the enemy rode forward. If one of them sl We were both assured, although where or how we had suc chace to strike a match to light a pipe, or any false movement of Craig's should excite suspicion! If he should even speak, his soft southern drawl ed in penetrating the cordon of picket

posts unobserved we could only con CHAPTER III.

jecture.

An Unwelcome Guest, This was the sort of work I had long ago learned to love; it warmed the blood, this constant certainty of imminent peril, this intense probability that any moment might bring a flash of flame into our very faces Each step we took was now a stern, grim play with Fate, where the stakes were life and death. I felt my pulses throb as I rode steadily forward, fairly thrusting the darkness aside, my teeth hard set, my left hand heavily How, in such a situation, the nerves

tingle and the heart bounds to each

strange sight and sound! Halt!-

what was that? Pooh! no more than the deeper shadow of a sharply projecting rock, around which we picl careful way, our horses crowding against each other in the narrow space. And that? Nothing but the faint moan of the night wind amid the dead limbs of a tree. Ah! mark that sudden flash of light! The hand that closes iron-like upon the loosened rein opens again, for it was merely a star silently falling from out the black depths of the sky. Then both of us halt at once, and peer anxiously forward. The figure standing direct-ly in the center of our path, can it be a sentry at last? A cautious step for ward, a low laugh from the sergeant, and we circle the gaunt, blackened stump, as silent ourselves as the night about us, but with flercely beat

ing, expectant hearts.

But hark! Surely that was no con mon sound, born of that drear loneli ness! No cavalryman can mistake the fingle of accoutrements or the dull thud of horses's hoofs. The road here must have curved sharply, for they were already so close upon us that, almost simultaneously with the sound. could distinguish the deeper shadow of a small compact body of horsemen directly in our front. left of us there rose, sheer and black, the precipitous rock; to right we might

not even guess what yawning void.

It was either wit of sword play now. I know not how it may be with other in such emergencies, but with me it always happens that the sense of fear departs with the presence of actual danger. Before the grewsome fancle of imagination I may quake and burn like any maiden alone upon a city street at night, until each separate nerve becomes a very demon of mental agony: but when the real and known once fairly confronts me, and there is work to do, I grow instantly cool to think, resolute to act, and find a rare joy in it. It was so now, and. revolver in hand but hidden beneath my holster flap, I leaned over and touched Craig's arm

"Keep quiet," I whispered sternly.
"Let them challenge first, and no firing except on my order." Almost with the words there came

Who comes there?" I drew the cape of my riding facket closer, so as better to muffle the sound of my voice. "Friends, of course; who would you expect to meet on this road?"

Bit. Led Forth to Where I Waited.

plunge ahead, accepting the chances

Wilkie," repeated the voice, doubt-

Hale, just what his name is?" boomed

"Oh, all right, certainly, major," re-

side of where we were to meet. How

ever, we have the lady here for you, all right, and she is anxious enough to

The lady! Heavens! What odd

turn of fortune's wheel was this? The lady. I heard Craig's smothered chuckle, but before I had sufficiently

regained control over my own feel

ings to venture upon a suitable reply, the entire party had drawn forward, the leader pressing so close to my side that I felt safer with my face well shaded.

"Where is your escort, major?" he

"No; Brennan ..."
here in his place."
"Indeed! Who are you?" "No; Brennan couldn't come. I am

ventured it.

"Major Wilke."

got to look after."

edge of this mysterious region, I am able to enlighten you to some extent. We are now riding due southward Fortune seemed with me in the chance answer, for he who had hailed along the Allentown pike." "Oh! is that you. Brennan?" Craig leaned forward so as to look across her horse's neck to where I ancy; here was my cue, and I must

tone.

rode on the opposite side. "May I speak a word, sir?" he ked, cautiously. "Certainly, sergeant; do you make anything out of all this?" "Yes, sir," he answered eagerly. "I know now exactly how we missed it, and where we are. The cut-off to the

White Briar I spoke to you about this "Ride ahead carefully then, and see there may be a picket stationed there. We will halt where we are until you return."

He swung forward his carbine where it would be handy for instant service and trotted ahead into the darkness. The woman's horse, being comparatively fresh and restless danced a little in an effort to follow but I restrained him with a light hand on the bit, and we sat waiting in si-

Laying Firm Hand Upon Her Horse's I was eager to be off, to make up by hard riding the tedious delay of this night's work, and constantly listening in dread for some sounds of struggle down the roadway. But all remained silent until I could dimly distinguish the returning hoof-beats of the sergeant's horse; and so anx-ious was I to economize time that I was already urging our mounts for-There was a moment's painful pause, in which I could hear my heart throb. ward when his shadow grew black in

front, and he wheeled in at my side.
"No picket, sir."
"Very well, sergeant; when we fully. "There is no officer of that name in the Forty-third."
"Well, there chances to be such an officer on the staff," I retorted, permitcome to the turn you are to ride a few rods in advance of us, and will set a good pace, for we must make up for all this lost time.

ting a trace of anger to appear in my tone, "and I am the man."
"What the devil is the difference, "Very well, sir; here is the turnto your right." I could dimly distinguish the open-ing designated, and as we wheeled a deeper voice back in the group. "We are not getting up a directory of the Sixth corps. Of course he's the man Brennan sent, and that is all we've into it he at once clapped spurs to his horse and forged ahead. In another moment he had totally disappeared, and as I urged our reluctant mounts to more rapid speed all sound of his turned the first speaker, hastily. "But the night is so cussed black I supprogress was instantly lost in the inding of our own hoofs on the posed we must be at least a mile this hard road.

[TO BE CONTINUED] Bishop Kinsman Returns

WILMINGTON, DEL., Oct. 13 -Bisho Frederick J. Kinsman, of the Episcopa ocese of Delaware returned last night rom a long sojourn in Maine, where he cuperated following an injury sustained some time ago and a subsequent illness.

asked, and the gruffness of his tone put me instantly on defense.

A schoolboy wrote an essay on cats, says the Christian Register. The chapter on different breeds supplied the following

He has not fully recovered, but is much

affected carelessness, and determined now to play out the game, lady or no lady. I was artremely sorry for her, but the cause outweighed her comfort. The screenst and I rode out ahead han we heard you coming. Where with very bad tempers is called fagorite
the glanced around at the group cate. Cats with deep feeting is a called FeOut-of-Town Folks Do Better Here

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Section 3—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever and on all taxes paid. abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto. JOHN BEITH,
Collector of Tax for Blackbird Hundre

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1911 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at

A. G. COX'S OFFICE, MIDDLETOWN SATURDAY OCT. 28th, 1911 From 1 to 3 P. M. MASSEY'S HOTEL, IN ODESSA, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25th, 1911 From 1 to 3 P. M.

AT R. S. CARPENTER'S STORE, IN PORT PENN WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18th, 1911 From 1 to 3 P. M.

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JOHN E. DENNY, Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred.

#### FARMS FOR SALE

No. 1.—Farm of 46 acres 2 miles from Middletown. The buildings are large and good, 15 acres good timber, fine home. No. 2.—Adjoins 46 acre farm, new buildings, both lie nicely on road. Would exchange for larger ones. No. 3.—250 acres known as "Lore rood" in complete condition.

No. 4.—400 acres near McDonough new buildings, fine stock or grain farm. No. 5.—80 acres within one mile of Middletown. Everything complete. No. 6.—128 acre 2 miles from Dela-ware City, all tilable and a nice home. No. 7.—112 acres 2½ miles from Dela ware City, fine soit. I also have a number of others at from \$2,000 to \$15,000.

GEO. W. INGRAM

#### FARM NEWS AND VIEWS USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW

Sows should be bred in tries. Put the lambs out of the hearing of the

Never sacrifice a good mother or a pro-

than a poor one. Overcrowding is the cause of many

Give plenty of oats or barley with

ome corn and good pasture. Push the shoats and early spring pigs nd get them to market early.

To maintain normal soil fertility the supply of humus must be conserved.

The most expert judge cannot select dairy bull by appearances alone. Great care should be used in watering

orses. A little and often is the best There is no question that beef cattle relish silage just as well as dairy cattle

In grading up the chickens, only those that are most vigorous should be considered.

Early hatches do better than those brought off after the heat of the snmme has begun.

A "cheap" harness is really about the nost expensive thing on the farm, as it cometimes costs life. Whatever material is used for bedding.

t should be changed sufficiently often to insure cleanliness.

the old sows, especially to farrow the stirring in the breeze. early spring litters.

Sweet corn is one of the very best crop to grow to feed as a soiling crop to the the ends of the stays where they have dairy cows in summer.

Green fodder at the tail end of the sum ner is relished by the cows as ice cream is relished by the school children.

The morning ration of the farm hors should contain about one-fourth of his daily ration. At noon another fourth should be given and at night the remaining heaviest feed. Most of the hay should be given at night and before the grain is

Sheep are comfort lovers and the man who neglects to provide them with good, dry shelter makes a costly error.

When teams are working in the fields water should always be offered several mes during the working hours.

Grinding the grain makes it more diges tible, and the more digestible the feed the nore milk from a given amount.

It is a mistake to treat the herd collec-The poultry house should be ventilated

horoughly. Feed goes farther with a young animal

han an older one. The individual cow must be considered and reckoned with.

Wrap your butter in parchment paper nd keep it in a cool place.

Shorts and bran make an excellent ration for sows that are suckling pigs. You can hardly push pigs too fast, pro

viding you use the right kind of food. The cleaner the feed and feeding places the better the quality of the pork in all. Less grain is needed for fowls when bone and vegetables are fed in abundance Sheep do not drink much water, but what little there is drunk must be abso-

lutely clean. Aim to get the top price for the best and if prices are cut, let it be for the cul-

Chilled or long-laid eggs will not pro luce as strong chicks as fresh, well-cared-

It is conductive to health to feed hogs when they can have the range of the pas

ure field. The successful dairyman endeavors to raise all the feed needed for his cows on

bis own farm. The dry season will enphasize still more

strongly the need of preparing more food for the stock. Turkey raisers find it profitable to have

Guinea fowls with the turkey flock. They act as police. Feeding hay will have a tendency to

than decrease the milk flow next winter.

The fleece of the ram should be dense even in quality, and of a strong, clear white fiber throughout.

The farmer has not yet discovered a nore efficient fertilizer and humus for the oil than animal manure.

There is nothing like silage to keep the to the sauce a bit of color and to its flavor. dairy cowa's appetite on edge throughout he long winter period.

the light is good. Working in a dark place s always a disadvantage.

he new should be made gradually. After the haying and harve-ting is

ompleted it is often desirable to change the sheep from the regular pasture. The shortage in the hay crop in many

#### SAMUEL B. FOARD PAYS THE HIGHE ST

KINDS OF

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Mr. William Janvier is our Grain Pur-chasing Agent at St. Georges.

ON HAND AT ALL TIMES HIGH-GRAD BITUMINOUS & LEHIGH

# SAWED WOOD by the Cord or

in small quntities

Lime, Seed, Feed, &c. **SEED OATS** 

When giving sticky medicines to children heat the spoon by dipping it for a moment in hot water; then pour in the medicine and it will slip easily from the

Put pockets on the under side of aprons near the right-hand edge and they will be

not catch on door-knobs and get torn. If eggshells are to be used for clearing offee, the eggs should be well washed before they are broken, and the shells should be kept in a covered receptacle until næded.

When a small clock is beyond repair do not throw it away, but keep for sick room use. Set the bands each time medicine is giving to the hour when the next dose is to be given. Cut off the bottom of an old water bot-

tle and hen cut the rubber into strips up to the curve at the top to make a whip or beater for couches, mattresses, pillows, To keep white gloves clean in a muff

have an adjustable lining of white silk or satin that may be fastened in over the dark lining of the muff with invisible hooks and loops. Tying keys to door knobs with a loop of narrow ribbon will save a search for a missing key, particularly if there are in

the house little children who are fond of taking keys away. To keep curtains from blowing out the windows conceal thin iron washers in the hems and corners. It will make the cur-

It is nearly always best to save some of tains hang evenly and without constant If collar stays scratch the neck, a little white sealing wax melted and applied to

broken through the casings will easily relieve the trouble. Cotton gloves to wear in doing housework are cooler and better in every way

than old kid gloves. If bought especially for this purpose, get a size larger than usually worn.

Cutting a heel-shaped piece out of an old overshoe prevents the heel wearing out while the rest of the overshoe is comparatively new. An excellent cleanser for painted sur-

aces is made as follows. Two quarts of

hot water, two tablespoonfuls of turpen-tine, a pint of skimmed milk and enough soap to make a weak suds. Hashed potatoes left over should be packed in a cup or bowl until needed for

frying. Another way to use it is to put into a double boiler with some warm milk. It will be quite tasty. A bathing cap has been kept in good condition for another year by sprinkling it thickly inside and out with toilet powder before putting it away. It will pre-

vent it sticking together and rotting. When making a mayonnaise in which only the yelks of eggs are used the economical housekeeper will use the whites in a dessert, such as apple snow for frosting

or for a meringue on a pie. A sponge in a porcelain umbrella stand will keep the umbrella from sticking to the bottom of the jar which is often broken in this way, and will also absorb the

rainwater from a wet umbrella. Using a warm iron when cutting out lothing will do away with pins and weights on tissue paper patterns. Lay the pattern on the material and press it light-

ly with a warm iron. It will adhere to the cloth To prepare a painted wall for papering wash it first with a solution of half a pound of washing sods in a gallon of water and then apply a warm mixture of half a

pound of ground glue dissolved in a pail of water. Wash leather furniture very gently with warm water in which there is a little vinegar, wipe with a dry cloth and then estore the polish by mixing the white of two eggs and a little turpentine, which is

applied with a fisnnel. When working on velvet use only the finest pins or needles to pin, so as not to injure the pile, and when bastings are esential do not draw the thread tight. Clip each stitch with scissors before pulling

out the bastings. The measures for the ordinary French dressing are. Three tablespoonfuls of oil; one and a half tablespoons of vinegar, a fourth of a tablespoonful of salt, an eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper. This is enough

for a pint of salad. Some of the best part of the apple is wasted when the fruit is pared for apple sauce. Cook until tender and press through a colander. The skin will give

Teeth kept clean mean small dentists' The separator should be placed where Hair kept clean means that no time be wasted for the prevention of baldness s always a disadvantage.

Farmers will soon be feeding new hay of time in illness. In fact, it is hard to and new grain. Change from the old to say in what department of life cleanlines does not save time.

> For the irritation and inflammation that is brought on by the stings of mosquitoes and other insects there is no better cure than to bathe the part in hot water and apply a little of this mixture: Ammonia, one-half ounce; the same amount of eau de cologne, boracic acid powder and a little aromatic yinegar.

> Sage tea is made by steeping two ounce of boiling water until the liquid makes two quarts. It stands until cold, when it is strained. To use, the hair must be washed and dried and the tea is put on evenly, at night, with a brush, repeating antil the desired shade is attained.

> Any woman who owns a German or sterling silver mesh bag or purse, and who and gloves, will be glad to know that she can clean it in a few minutes herself at nome. Just take plenty of common bak ing sods, this is what the jewelers use, and a little water and brush, rinse well and dry and think of the economy-It looks

as good as new. Get the stoves in order for the first cold snap, when you really feel the cold